

Divers Find No
Trace of Auto

Naval divers had failed to find any trace of the missing motor car which it is believed took several men to their death near the Outer Docks, up to 2.40 this afternoon.

One diver covered the harbor bottom between the breakwater and the outside pier and found nothing. Another diver is working on the west side of the pier across to the grain elevator.

Report Victorians
Carrier Captains

VANCOUVER (CP)—Two Victoria men, Capt. Horatio Nelson Lay and Capt. Ronald I. Agnew, will command the Royal Navy escort aircraft carriers, which Navy Minister Macdonald announced in Ottawa today will be manned by the Canadian navy, the Sun said this afternoon in a newspaper story.

Huge Daylight Raids

LONDON (CP)—Large formations of R.A.F., R.C.A.F. and U.S. heavy, medium, light and fighter bombers attacked military objectives in northern France today. It was authoritatively stated to-night.

Ashton Promoted

WINNIPEG (CP)—Group Capt. A. J. Ashton, Air Officer in charge of Administration for No. 2 Training Command of the R.C.A.F. here, has been promoted to air commodore. It was announced today. Before coming to Winnipeg he commanded R.C.A.F. station Patricia Bay, B.C.

Women Undertakers

VANCOUVER (CP)—Vancouver undertakers face such a manpower shortage they soon may ask for women employees to learn the business, mortician William Rathington said today.

May Close Plants

WASHINGTON (AP)—Rep. Horan (Rep.-Wash.) said today that Joseph B. Eastman, director of the Office of Defence Transportation, had recommended to the War Production Board the closing down of 20 of the 25 aluminum production lines in the U.S. Pacific Northwest.

Ships for B.C.

VANCOUVER (CP)—There is definite assurance of new contracts for Vancouver shipyards sometime this spring. Clarence Wallace, president of Burrard Drydocks Ltd., said today on his return from Ottawa. He refused to discuss reports that coast yards would share in a huge landing craft construction program announced in Ottawa last week.

Russ Plunge On
Beyond Mozyr

LONDON (CP)—The Russian army today, after capturing the regional centre of Mozyr and the railway junction of Kalinkovich, swept up more than 40 other towns and hamlets as it surged west of the two towns, Moscow announced tonight in a broadcast communiqué.

The 1st Ukrainian Army of Gen. Nikolai Vatutin reached our farther in old Poland to capture the district centre of Stepan, 45 miles inside the prewar frontier and 17 miles south of Tutovitch.

Low Cost Loan

WINNIPEG (CP)—The lowest-cost loan in Winnipeg's history was assured today by a bid from Nesbitt, Thomson and Co. on a bond issue of \$1,540,000. The price tendered was \$108,301 per \$100, representing an interest cost to the city of 2.87 per cent.

R.C.N. 80,000 Strong

OTTAWA (CP)—Navy Minister Macdonald announced at his press conference here today that the Royal Canadian Navy was reaching the peacetime strength of the British navy. The R.C.N. now has more than 80,000 men and women, 250 combat ships and 450 ships of other types. The R.N. had a strength of 100,000 at the start of the war.

Nazis Announce
Village Evacuated

LONDON (AP)—The German International Information Bureau, a propaganda broadcasting organization, said today the Germans had abandoned the village of Aquafondata, seven miles northeast of Cassino. The village previously had been reported nearly encircled by French forces in the surrounding hills.

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Drag for Missing Men



PML 6 anchored off scene with Provincial Constables Earl Lockwood, R. W. Sinclair, John W. Currie and J. N. McNaughton and City Constables E. A. P. and J. A. P. draw aboard. They have just lowered their drags.

Soldiers and police officers heave on drag ropes in effort to locate at Outer Docks a sedan believed to have carried from one to five men. The line against the dock is bringing to the surface a hatch cover of the motorship Beulah, which sank at this berth six years ago. In background is army truck.

Photo by G. R. Thompson

Admiral Nelles Goes to Britain
Jones Becomes Navy Staff Chief

OTTAWA (CP)—Vice-Admiral Percy W. Nelles will go to London as senior Canadian flag officer and is succeeded as chief of the Canadian Naval Staff by Rear-Admiral George C. Jones, former vice-chief. It was announced at a press conference here today by Navy Minister Macdonald.

The new move is in line with invasion plans which have sent chiefs of army and air staffs—Lt.-Gen. Kenneth Stuart and air Marshal L. S. Broadbent—to Britain recently.

In commenting on the move, a navy press release said the United Kingdom has assumed new importance as the area from which an attack against German-controlled Europe will be launched.

"In view of these impending great events it is felt the senior Canadian naval officer in Britain should be an officer of high rank," it said.

At present, the senior Canadian naval officer in Britain is Capt. F. L. Houghton.

The statement made no mention of Capt. Houghton's next post. Nor did it say who would succeed Admiral Jones as vice-chief.

The navy minister said Canadians now are undergoing training fitting them for the job of taking over two new gift cruisers—Canada's first in this war—from the Royal Navy. He estimated the cost of the two ships at between \$10,000,000 and \$15,000,000.

The press release said that last year Allied shipping losses were less than one-half of the 1942 figure. On the other hand, cargo shipbuilding by the United Nations was more than twice as great as it was in 1942.

Full CO-OPERATION

"Last year saw spectacular successes against submarines in the North Atlantic and elsewhere," it continued. "Full and effective co-operation prevailed between the sea and air forces of Great Britain, the United States and Canada."

"Within the last few weeks decisive victories have been scored against German surface units. All in all, 1943 marked a great stride forward in the winning of the Battle of the Atlantic."

"Canadian coastal waters, which in 1942 felt the presence of German submarines, were last year relatively free from this type of 'raider.' This condition may be attributed to the fact that the sea and air forces of Canada, the United States and the United Kingdom were able to engage German submarines well out at sea."

"Now, however, other great events are impending. The United Kingdom has always formed one end of the Atlantic battlefield, but now it assumes an additional importance, as the area from which an attack against the German-controlled regions of Europe will be launched. This attack will involve the fullest and most precise co-operation between sea, land and air forces. Canadian sailors, soldiers and airmen will



To London . . . Vice-Admiral Percy W. Nelles.



Rear-Admiral George C. Jones.

Industrial Survey In Victoria to Get More Men for Army

Essential industries from shipyards to newspaper offices are being surveyed in Victoria by three regional investigators from Vancouver, with a view to the orderly withdrawal of draft-age men from essential industry. C. A. Mudge, manager of the local office of National Selective Service, said today.

"The Industrial Mobilization Survey which has begun all across Canada is for the purpose of obtaining men for the army," Mr. Mudge said. "The demands for the army are continuing demands."

Among groups being surveyed in Victoria are: Shipyards, fuel companies, lumber companies, machine shops, contracting firms, transportation, power and light, telephone company, municipal services, foundries and newspapers. Certain occupations within industry will also be surveyed, for example, that of drug-gists, according to Mr. Mudge.

Investigators are contacting personnel heads, managers or timekeepers in various establishments and are leaving with them forms which are to be filled out by the employer and returned as soon as possible. Factual information including age, type of work, marital status, education and length of time it will take to train a replacement, is sought on each male employee of draft age.

"Each draft-age worker is interviewed personally by an employment adviser from the Industrial Mobilization Survey Division of National Selective Service. Each case is considered individually," Mr. Mudge explained. "At the present time we do not know the number of men on deferment throughout Victoria, but will have that compiled on completion of the survey. If the job done by a man on deferment can be handled by another person on the staff, the man on deferment will be able to answer his military call."

Unless the person available has exceptional skill, which is greatly in demand by high priority industry, for example a journeyman electrician, machinist or toolmaker, that person, if not called up for the army and not absolutely required in his own plant, will be transferred to other essential work," Mr. Mudge continued.

"The idea behind the survey is to provide a listing of personnel of essential industries in designated age groups subject to military call, so that there will be an orderly withdrawal of these men from their work and replacement of them with other workers."

7 Slain in France

BARCELONA (AP)—Paris press dispatches today said Joseph Serlin, former member of the French Senate, had been slain by an unidentified assassin at Lyons several days ago. Six other persons were said to have been killed and two others wounded in a single day in the Cote d'Or department in attacks by persons which the German-controlled press described as "terrorists."

"It is natural that the wives should want to follow their husbands, and in a non-fighting area like this I think it is a good thing."

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Photo by G. R. Thompson

Heavy Object Hooked, Oil Rises to Water Surface

Provincial and city police today were no nearer solution of the mysterious drowning of one man and disappearance of four others New Year's Day, but continued dragging operations at Outer Harbor where police believe the five may have perished when their car plunged into the sea.

J. A. McLellan, city police chief, announced arrangements have been completed to have a navy diver comb the sea floor around Piers A and B where police are conducting the search.

Dragging operations by city and provincial police using the B.C. police boat P.M.L. 6, which was brought here Thursday from near Nanaimo where it was engaged in other operations, continued today and produced a car bumper.

Heavily crusted with rust and carrying some barnacles, police were satisfied it had been in the water longer than two weeks.

Skipper Earl Lockwood of the P.M.L. 6 suggested: "It's probably a chunk of scrap the Japs didn't get to hurl back at us."

The dragging was carried on where before the war scrap was loaded on ships going to Japan. Officers believe the bottom of the harbor is covered with scrap and debris.

HOOKED HEAVY OBJECT

Thursday afternoon, with two drag hooks firmly anchored on some heavy object 44 feet below the surface, police secured the cooperation of a large army crane truck. They were unsuccessful in their efforts to get a third hook on the object, but did not raise it. Police felt ropes attached to the other two hooks were not strong enough to stand the pull of the truck winches.

Previously the dragging operations had produced a large canvas hatch cover, several yards of steel cable, a piece of a two-inch hatch cover, and an oil can, all believed to have been from the Panamanian motorship Beulah which sank at the outer wharf Dec. 27, 1937, after limping into port with a shifted cargo.

Oil was frequently seen to rise to the surface during dragging operations Thursday afternoon.

Wives' Apartments Planned for Camp

Part, at least, of the Gordon Head camp may be turned into apartments for wives and families of servicemen in this area.

R. W. Mayhew, M.P., said today he is putting plans for such a development before the department at Ottawa.

First Snowdrop

First snowdrops reported

blooming in Greater Victoria during this year have been brought to the Times by Mrs. G. W. MacKenzie, who says she has been picking them in her garden at 543 Manchester Road, since New Year's Day.

Ton of Butter Stolen

STOUFFVILLE, Ont. (CP)—More than 2,000 pounds of butter, a dairy truck, a radio and a tank of gasoline were stolen Thursday night from the Stouffville creamery. Stouffville is 18 miles north of Toronto. The truck was recovered later, but the butter and radio were missing.

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Recent measurements show that four glaciers in Glacier National Park, Mont., all receded during the past year, despite unusually heavy precipitation and cold weather during 1942-43.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Boilermakers and Shipbuilders
Union, Local No. 2, will hold their regular meeting in Chamber of Commerce Hall, Tuesday, Jan. 18, at 7:30 p.m. Reports of delegations to the Canadian and Canada's New Labor Code will be special subjects. ***

Dr. Douglas W. Graham, 1007 Joan Crescent, announces that he is taking six months leave of absence from his practice. ***

Overseas League Y.W.C.A., Saturday, Jan. 15, 2:30. Sir Robert Holland, K.C.L.E., subject: "Comments on Current Events." ***

Victoria Musical Art Society: Artist students and senior students' recital, Wednesday, Jan. 19, 1944, Empress Hotel, at 8:30 p.m. Guest tickets 55c, obtainable at Fletcher Bros. Music Store. ***

W.A. to Pro Patria Branch—Winners of tombola: 1st, Mrs. Morris; 2nd, Mr. Brown. ***

W.A. Jubilee Hospital—Bridge tea, Linen shower, Nurses' Home, Feb. 4, at 2 p.m. Bridge 50c, tea guest 25c. Baby stall. Prizes. Reservations, phone G 3745, G 1697, E 5837. ***



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Germans Expect Big Drive By 8th; French Advancing

BY JOSEPH E. DYNAN

ALGIERS (AP)—Gen. Alphonse Juin's French forces pushed through Italy's rugged Apennines for a two-mile gain from the east, and U.S. troops advanced slightly from the south, Thursday, in an encircling assault on the natural and artificial defences of Cassino, which the Germans call their "Gustav Line." Allied headquarters announced today.

Outstanding news of the 8th Army's front came from Vichy, the German radio there being quoted by Reuters as saying: "A move on the part of the British 8th Army in Italy can shortly be expected in the Adriatic coastal sector, since British artillery there has become particularly active."

The Americans repulsed a heavy German counterattack on Cervaro, about midnight Wednesday, then consolidated their gains and threatened the Nazi control of the northern slopes of Mount Trocchio, just south of the Rome road, and less than three miles from Cassino.

FIERCE DEFENCE

But German resistance was extremely fierce in this final defensive belt around the next Allied objective, and the maze of weapon pits, road blocks, mine-fields, barbed-wire entanglements and trenches, augmenting the natural defensive features of a north-south line through the village itself, guaranteed a desperate struggle before the point is taken.

High ground around the village, plus the banks of the rapid river on which the village is built, had been converted into a death line which German prisoners say the Nazis named the "Gustav line."

Referring to the tough fighting which took place for Cervaro and the mountain features beyond, an Allied commentator said the forthcoming battle of Cassino would be harder yet.

CAPTURE RIDGE

Attacking over the rugged central Italian terrain, Gen. Juin's French forces captured the eastern slopes of Mount San Pietro in San Pietro ridge and completed the seizure of all Monna Casale range south of the Colli-Altino road.

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U.S. Fighter Pilot Hero in Big Battle

LONDON (CP)—Of the many who played heroic roles in Tuesday's daylight aerial assault on central Germany, one to receive high tribute from bomber crews was an unknown Mustang pilot who drove alone into a formation of 30 Nazi fighters.

The explanation of his anonymity may lie in the announcement that five U.S. fighters failed to return from the historic flight.

Bomber crewmen who witnessed his dive, his guns blazing, believe he may have shot down as many as six from the enemy group.

"For sheer determination and guts, it was the greatest exhibition I have ever seen," said Maj. Allis Brooks of Pasadena, Calif.

Lost Life in Driver's Seat of Charred Car



Saanich firemen, pulling this car from a flaming garage Wednesday evening, found the badly charred body of Miss Ethel Corbett, 59-year-old poultry woman, 3922 Carey Road, behind the driver's wheel. The mysterious circumstances of the death will be probed at an inquest at 10:30 tomorrow at the Curry Funeral Home. Officials of the Fire Marshal's department will also investigate cause of the fire.

'Caddy', Thought Dead, Reappears

"Caddy," reported mortally rammed by a Brentwood boatman several months ago, has made a reappearance. Last Tuesday at Maple Bay "Caddy" bobbed up off the seaside home of Mrs. D. Parker-Smith.

Victor Scholey, who lives nearby, and Mrs. Parker-Smith watched "Caddy" through glasses and the former, who admits that previously he did not believe in the legend, was greatly interested in his mind.

"It was between 1:30 and 2 p.m. that I first saw the creature," said Mr. Scholey. It was traveling slowly and in spite of its slow speed it made quite a commotion in the water.

"Obtaining binoculars I observed the monster carefully. About 30 feet long, with a diameter of four feet, it was of a rather neutral shade, just the color of a dogfish. Obligingly it lifted about 10 feet of its length from the water so I was able to ascertain the body thickness. There was little taper in the tail."

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Heavy bombers led the attack on Alexishafen, starting fires and destroying a jetty. Medium bombers came over later at low level, strafing and bombing. Eight fires were started in supply dumps along the big airfield, a medium enemy bomber was destroyed on the field and four barges in the harbor were damaged.

Other barges and a 1,000-ton enemy cargo ship were destroyed or damaged by Allied aircraft striking at Hansa Bay and Bogad-jim.

More than 60 divebombs from Solomon Islands Allied bases, with an 80-plane fighter escort, treated Cape St. George, on the southern tip of New Ireland, to a precision bombing attack with 36 tons of explosives.

Heavy bombers, also from Solomon Islands bases, laid 36 tons of explosives on airfields at Rabaul, the oft-bombed enemy base in northeastern New Britain.

WITH CANADIANS IN ITALY (CP)—Patrol activity continues on the Adriatic front, where Canadians and Germans are sparring in a 1,000-yard deep no man's land south of the steep-banked Arielli River.

Groups of from three to 25 soldiers go out each night to test the strength of German defences, and bring back as much information as they can. Because of brilliant moonlight they rarely return without a brush with the enemy.

While forward forces are pa-

William Collier, Veteran Actor, Dies

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP)—Death has closed the 66-year stage and screen career of William Collier Sr.

The playwright and actor, 77, died Thursday of complications following pneumonia. His wife, Paula, was at his bedside.

When 11 years old, Collier ran away from home to tour in a children's company of "H.M.S. Pinafore." Brought back to finishing school, he got a job with Augustin Daly as call-boy. He rose from bit parts and understudies to become a hit on Broadway with Eddie Foy in "Bluebeard Jr."

Besides his wife, relatives surviving him include his son, actor William (Buster) Collier Jr.; his brother, John Collier of Emmaus, Pa., and sister, Mrs. Helen Garlick, Goshen, N.Y.

Funeral service will be conducted tomorrow at Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Glendale.

U.S. Envoy Dies

WELLINGTON, N.Z. (CP)—William C. Burdett, U.S. minister to New Zealand, died today.

Born at Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 3, 1884, Burdett had been in the diplomatic and consular service since 1919. He had been ill for some time and took up his duties here only two months ago.

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Ontario Legislature To Open Feb. 22

TORONTO (CP)—The first session of Ontario's 21st Legislature will open Tuesday, Feb. 22, Premier Drew announced today.

He said the opening date was later than usual to avoid having to adjourn until the Dominion budget is brought down.

"Because of the wide powers under the War Administration Act, the Dominion budget has considerable influence on provincial legislation, particularly on provincial finances," he said. "A break in the main session would be very inconvenient for members."

Unwinding of Controls Big Task in Britain

LIVERPOOL, Eng. (CP)—Lord Woolton, British minister of reconstruction, said today that one of the government's major reconstruction problems will be "unwinding the administrative machine" imposing controls in British industry and life.

He addressed an audience at Liverpool University, where he

received an honorary degree of Doctor of Laws.

"Our entire industrial capacity has grown accustomed to working under government control," he said. "We, ourselves, have become people-controlled in our private lives."

"That is war, but the reconstructed England isn't going to be like this."

Lord Woolton said controls necessarily must remain until supply and demand are in balance, but added: "I venture the reminder that we are a democracy."

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Drinking Lotions

TORONTO (CP) — The Star quoted Toronto police as saying lotions containing alcohol are in great demand since wine, beer and liquor have been rationed.

"On a recent Sunday, police were called to a downtown drug

store where a crowd of men had gathered waiting for a shop to open," the Star said. "All were waiting to buy lotions 'to cure a hangover,' police declared."

Chief coroner Shirley Lawson said two Toronto men had died in the last month from drinking after-shave lotion,

Roosevelt to Meet Southern Democrats

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Roosevelt will have an opportunity next week of restoring harmony in the ranks of southern Democrats, some of whose leaders have been talking of forming a third party.

A White House "social," it was learned today, is being planned for a group of southern governors who are to meet here Monday to renew their perennial demand for railroad freight rate equality.

Having long sought rates equal to those prevailing in the industrial east to "free our region from economic peonage," the southern governors on occasion threatened party reprisals unless given administration support.

Further cracks in the "solid south" have resulted from disputes over legislation dealing with poll taxes, absentee voting by servicemen and other issues.

The party rift flared out on the Senate floor last month when Senators Josiah W. Bailey (Dem., N.C.) and Ellison D. Smith (Dem., S.C.) threatened a "secessionist" movement aimed at forming an independent southern organization.

Beatrix Potter Died in England

NEW YORK (AP) — The Herald Tribune says Mrs. William Heelis, 77, who wrote the "Peter Rabbit" books under her maiden name of Beatrix Potter, died Dec. 22 at Sawrey, Eng.

Miss Potter created Peter Rabbit in 1883 when writing letters to an invalid boy in London. She published a story for children entitled: "The Tale of Peter Rabbit," which has been translated into five languages besides English.

According to New York representatives of F. Warne and Co. Ltd., London publisher of Miss Potter, the sale has run into millions of copies, the newspaper said.

Japanese Attempts To Retake Arawe Fail Repeatedly

By ROBERT EUNSON
ALLIED HEADQUARTERS,

SOUTH PACIFIC (AP) — The Japanese have failed in several attempts to recapture the Arawe Peninsula on the southwest coast of New Britain, and U.S. troops still hold all of their main positions.

Sixth Army soldiers who stormed Arawe last Dec. 15 are firmly entrenched in all of the three-mile-long peninsula, the adjacent islands and a small part of the inland area.

A colonel who returned from Arawe this week said "the Japs are only 100 yards from our lines and we can fight there any time we want it."

The Tokyo radio broadcast claims Thursday that the Japanese had recaptured Arawe. The assertion was denied by a spokesman at headquarters.

Since the first Japanese retreat under heavy fire by U.S. sea, air and ground units, the enemy has infiltrated back down the Pulie River from the north and made several attempts to retake the peninsula. But U.S. forces, digging in, have withstood heavy night bombing raids and ground attacks.

To Command Air School

MONTRAL (CP) — Wing Cmdr. V. P. Cronyn of London, Ont., has been appointed officer commanding the new No. 4 aircrew graduates' training school

for non-commissioned officers which will open at Valleyfield, Que., Jan. 17, it was announced here.

Want Tax Exemption

VANCOUVER (CP) — University of British Columbia students at a meeting here decided to ask

the government to provide tax-exemption for students above the present tax-free amount in order to cover tuition fees.

Canada's Honor Roll

KILLED
Batt. Columbia Regiment
Grant, Duncan Coulton, Lieut., Montreal

DEATHS OF WOUNDED
Kervin, Ernest, Pte., Thetford Mines, Que.

DIED
Central Ontario Regiment
Vesina, Howard Leo, Pte., North Bay

Manitoba Regiment
Bisaraki, Walter Jack, Pte., St. John's, Nfld.

Royal Canadian Army Service Corps
Cox, Ernest, Pte., Windsor, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec
Craib, Thomas, Cpl., Winnipeg

Regiment of Quebec
MacLellan, Alan, Pte., Montreal

Regiment of Quebec
Mackay, Edward Henry, Pte., Beauport, Man.

Forster, Frederick Bernard, Pte., Oakville, Ont.

Tyrus, Sam, Pte., Toronto.

SERIOUSLY WOUNDED
Canadian Armed Corps

Ferguson, Malcolm, Tpr., Kewatoke, N.S.

Gulter, Vincent Francis, Pte., Ottawa, Ont.

Royal Canadian Artillery

Donaldson, George Eric, Pte., Timmins, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec

Forster, Frederick Bernard, Pte., Oakville, Ont.

Tyrus, Sam, Pte., Toronto.

Weller, Alan Kendall, Pte., Toronto.

Weller, William, Cpl., Toronto.

Quebec Regiment

Morris, Hushes Allan, Pte., Montreal

Russell, Ernest, Pte., Montreal

Regiment of Quebec

Smith, George, Pte., Alexander, Man.

Regiment of Quebec

Thomson, George Henry, Pte., Neelin, Man.

British Columbia Regiment

Forrest, Donald Allan, Pte., Ottawa

Regiment of Quebec

Clouston, Marcus Eugene Victor, Pte., Chilliwack, B.C.

WOUNDED, REMAINING ON DUTY

Brooks, William John, Sgt., Athabasca, N.B.

Quebec Regiment

Cordell, Donald George James, Pte., Stratford, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec

Evenden, Thomas Henry, Pte., Weston, Ontario.

Guthrie, John Joseph Alexander Patrick, Pte., Toronto.

Jarding, Irvin, A-L-Cpl., Toronto.

Bassett, Elmer Frank, Pte., Belleville, Ontario.

Canadian Army Medical Corps

Corkett, Robert Resinald, Pte., Toronto.

Pring, William, Pte., Police Corps, B.C.

SERIOUSLY ILL

Regiment of Quebec

Glover, James, Pte., Dalhousie, N.B.

Regiment of Quebec

Pratt, Wallace Everett, Rfnmc, Waskada, Man.

Regiment of Quebec

Doherty, Gerald Patrick, Pte., Montreal.

SERIOUSLY ILL

Regiment of Quebec

Thomson, Charles Frederick, Gnr., Garrison, Ont.

Nonnan, Anthony John, A-L-Cpl., Hamilton.

Regiment of Quebec

Pratt, Wallace Everett, Rfnmc, Waskada, Quebec.

Marcus, John Joseph, Pte., Montreal.

Hartford, Alexander Russell, Pte., Dryden, Ont.

Taylor, Charles William, Pte., Yarmouth, N.S.

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Beez, Douglas, Pte., Toronto.

Today's WAR NEWS Analysis

By DE WITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press War Analyst

It begins to look as though the Russo-Polish territorial dispute, inflammable as it is, may in the long run help the Allies to a solution of one of their most difficult problems—that of wiping out the arrogant, swaggering, bullying Prussian militarism which for generations has been the curse of Europe and has whelmed two world wars within our time.

Much depends on whether the Poles and Moscow are able to get together for negotiations over the new Soviet proposal. News today from London, headquarters of the Polish government, shows the dispute is balanced on razor edge.

Russia has offered to negotiate on the basis of the so-called Curzon Line, which roughly is the frontier adopted by the Red Army when it occupied eastern Poland in 1939. The Soviet intends to keep most of this territory, but is willing to discuss some adjustments of the border.

HOPEFUL SIGN

In addition—and this is where the fate of Prussian militarism is involved—the Russians offer Poland German territory which presumably would include East Prussia and part of Prussia proper—dominant state of the Reich. Now it is interesting—and perhaps a hopeful sign—that Moscow's willingness to see Poland make these annexations coincides with a claim already made by the Polish government. Of course, the Poles also demand return of the area which Russia proposes

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territories, such as involved in some Polish annexations, might be of real assistance.

Heavy Fighting For Bosnian Railway

LONDON (CP) — Fierce fighting for control of the strategic Banja Luka-Zagreb railway in central Bosnia continued today, as German forces increased their pressure on Yugoslav Partisans attacking in the 25-mile sector between Banja Luka and Prijedor.

The community of Marshal Josip Broz (Tito), broadcast by the Free Yugoslav radio, said the Partisans shot down two Nazi bombers near the town of Bugojno.

Near Brod, a rail centre 50 miles northeast of Banja Luka, the Partisans were said to have destroyed an enemy troop train, killing 45 German soldiers and capturing 85.

The battle for Novo Mesto, Slovenian city 50 miles west of Zagreb, was still raging, with no appreciable advantage reported for either side.

In Herzegovina, to the south, Partisans repelled an enemy assault at Stolac and seized a lead mine producing 800 tons a year.

Yugoslav sources in London said the Germans, in their drive south from Banja Luka, were apparently attempting to breach Partisan defences in the Dinaric Alps toward the Adriatic and thus split Tito's main forces into two isolated groups.

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Canada's Empty Spaces

LEADERS OF THOUGHT IN CANADA are taking advantage of almost every opportunity to emphasize this country's need of postwar immigration. There seems to be general agreement that we must have more people if we are to fulfill our national destiny. There is disagreement, however, as to what kind of immigrants we should encourage or admit. Our last great wave of immigration before World War I was largely directed to settling the prairies. Urban immigration has been somewhat discouraged on the theory that we are predominantly an agricultural country—the "breadbasket of the world." Will this hold true after the war? Can we count on the agricultural areas absorbing the new population we agree we must have for our future national well-being?

The most recent authoritative document on the subject was the survey, "Prairie Population Possibilities," published as part of the report of the Royal Commission on Dominion-Provincial Relations, 1940. This seemed to explode the notion that there are still immense areas of fertile land in the west awaiting settlement. The survey concluded that, in the absence of such unpredictable factors as the discovery of new mineral resources, a revolution in farm techniques and a profound change in the character of external markets, the area could not absorb any substantial number of immigrants and, indeed, might find a continuing difficulty about absorbing its own natural increase.

The Economist of London now comes forward with a new and encouraging view of the possibilities of immigration into Canada and of sustaining many more people. It declares that it is quite possible that Canada's population will materially increase as a result of factors quite different from the availability of virgin farm land in the Dominion. "After all," it says, "it is urban population, not rural, which Canada needs to move towards a more balanced and stable economy. Agricultural surpluses have been a great blessing recently, but before the war they were a grave problem and may become so again."

This view is supported by Minister of Munitions Howe, who recently pointed out that in the last four years Canada has undergone an industrial transformation, which, in normal circumstances, could not have taken place in less than 25 years. The development of our water power, for one thing, has been so accelerated that in 1944, 10,000,000 horsepower will be harnessed. Though there may be little basis at present for the theory that Canada's agricultural fringes on northern frontiers will support a large influx of farm people, it is possible in the face of today's indications to visualize opportunities for numerous artisans, scientists, executives, clerks and other immigrants attracted by Canada's new industrial developments in urban areas. Thus, Canada's wide-open, empty spaces for newcomers in the next decade may well be in the cities, with the smaller centres rivaling the larger because of the increasing availability of power and the trend of industry towards decentralization. All of which means new domestic markets for agriculture's products.

Pro-Axis Argentina

WHEN ARGENTINA CHANGED HER

government by a miniature revolution

last June, Mr. Cordell Hull, our neighbor's

Secretary of State, recognized the new ad-

ministration in the belief that it would be

less pro-Axis than its predecessor. The

Ramirez regime at Buenos Aires, however,

seems to have grown more totalitarian as

its European models begin to totter to their

inevitable fall. Its latest assault on what

remained of Argentinian liberty is an edict

which throttles the press and prevents in-

telligent and truthful discussion of public

affairs. What effect this procedure will have

on the populace must remain in the realm of conjecture; it may offend its pride, since

some of the world's finest newspapers are

produced in this important Latin American

republic. The decree also applies to for-

ign correspondents who, henceforward, may

not send out "anything contrary to the gen-

eral interest of the nation" anything con-

trary to Christian morals or morality, any-

thing that disturbs the good relations that

Argentina maintains with friendly countries

and any news that is totally or partly false

or misleading."

If this injunction means anything at all

—and it does—it means that foreign cor-

respondents may not transmit anything of

which the Ramirez government does not ap-

prove, and which the Premier and his col-

leagues feel would be offensive to the men

of Berlin and Tokyo. It is small wonder,

therefore, that Mr. Hull is making haste

slowly to recognize the new government of

Bolivia—which, incidentally, has announced

itself as pro-Ally, but also pro-Argentine.

How it can be both is far from clear. Nor

is the American Secretary of State inclined

to be stampeded into any recommendation

of economic sanctions against Argentines

in retaliation for her government's extra-

ordinary attitude toward Washington and Lon-

don and the member states of the Pan-American Union. And he will naturally require to know a great deal more than he does at present about Bolivia's reasons for suddenly becoming pro-Argentine if her recent revolt was not inspired by enemy influences, either from within or without.

The application of economic sanctions to the Argentine, of course, is not a policy to which the United States government would become a party unless in co-operation with Britain, Canada and the rest of the Latin American states, either belonging to the United Nations or committed to their assistance. Certain vital war materials and food are being supplied in large quantities by Argentina. It may be that some of these commodities could be dispensed with without seriously impairing the Allied war effort. But economic action against the enemy's Latin American friend obviously would have to be determined by its possible effect on victory. The Ramirez government is neither blind nor deaf to this important consideration. On the other hand, however, the men in control at Buenos Aires are evidently ignoring the long-term perspective: sooner or later, their friends in Berlin and Tokyo will go the way of Mussolini. What then?

Taking G.O.P. Temperature

R EPUBLICAN COMMITTEEMEN IN session in Chicago at the beginning of this week treated themselves to a miniature poll to test internal sentiment toward the Presidential Nomination Stakes to be run next June. The result must have been a cold douche for the "Stop Willkie" brigade, of little comfort to the supporters of Ohio's Governor John W. Bricker, and less than encouraging to the officials of the "General MacArthur-for-President-Club." The full committee is composed of 106 members; 95 were represented at the meeting—76 in person and 19 by proxies—while the poll revealed that 23 were still open-minded on the subject. This is how the votes went: Governor Thomas E. Dewey of New York, 21; Wendell Willkie, 21; Governor John W. Bricker of Ohio, 5; Lt.-Cmdr. Harold E. Stassen, 4; Senator George H. Mahon, 2; Governor Dwight H. Green of Illinois, 2; Governor Earl Warren of California, 2; Gen. Douglas MacArthur, 1; Dewey or Willkie, 1.

Many of the National Committee members, of course, will be delegates to the nominating convention; but the selection of the nominees will rest with the full assembly of 1,059 accredited representatives. Whether Governor Dewey will stick to his oft-repeated decision to serve out his gubernatorial term, or, if he does, whether the "Stop Willkie" elements will drum up sufficient support in favor of drafting the unsuccessful 1940 candidate's rival, only the march of political events will reveal. Nor is it clear at this stage whether relations between the New York executive and Mr. Willkie are less strained than they were during the contest for the governorship in 1942. Although on that occasion the feud was not of the open or vocal variety, the Republican leader's antipathy to the Dewey political philosophy was reflected in those intangible ways best known to partisan strategists.

The general consensus in respect of Gen. MacArthur is that the famous soldier's self-appointed high command intends to propose his nomination on the basis of the general's military magic, as one observer puts it, rather than on his undisclosed political views. Senator Arthur Vandenberg, however, who is described as chief of staff of the "MacArthur-for-President-Club," obviously feels that no ordinary campaign would fit the occasion, but that only a dynamic groundswell could persuade the Republican convention to nominate his candidate. And he says that "until he (MacArthur) says he won't run, I assume that he will." The Allied commander-in-chief in the South Pacific still seems to be saying: "Let's get on with the war." Meanwhile, Mr. Willkie is trading punches with his bitterest opponents within the party machine—composed of stalwarts who have less love for him than they have for Mr. Roosevelt.

A Fine Citizen Passes

THROUGHOUT THIS COMMUNITY AND in many other parts of Vancouver Island Mrs. Margaret Leighton McMicking was affectionately known for her good works and her lively interest in all aspects of the kaleidoscopic drama of these stirring times. Apart from her sterling personal qualities, her progressive outlook and her human sympathies, she brought to bear on her numerous activities an understanding and practical mind. The various women's organizations with which she was associated found in her an indefatigable worker; problems in her concept of community service merely constituted a challenge to ingenuity and imagination. Her constant companion in the long evening of her life was the sound philosophy which accounted for a buoyant spirit that kept her mentally young until she was within nodding distance of the century mark. She will long be remembered for her possession of all the attributes of good citizenship. Her passing serves to remind us that Victoria has profited by her having lived here.

Notes

Has Stalin, by his latest pact, Czeched Germany?

A total of 39.4 per cent of the electors voted in Toronto's civic election on Jan. 1 and the commentators consider the percentage high. It is compared with the percentages of the two previous years—19.9 and 20.2—but we still do not see very much in it creditable to the voters. It means that six out of 10 voters in Toronto still preferred to stay at home and neglect one of their primary civic duties.

Loose Ends

MY EARTHLY MISSION FULFILLED

Among the personal belongings of a young R.A.F. pilot in a bomber squadron, who was recently reported "Missing, believed killed," was a letter to his mother—to be sent to her if he were killed, writes a correspondent to the London Times.

"This letter was perhaps the most amazing one I have ever read: simple and direct in its wording, but splendid and uplifting in its outlook," says the young officer's station commander. "It was inevitable that I should read it—in fact, he must have intended this, for it was left open in order that I might be certain that no prohibited information was disclosed.

"I sent the letter to the bereaved mother, and asked her whether I might publish it anonymously, as I feel its contents may bring comfort to other mothers, and that every one in our country may feel proud to read of the sentiments which support 'an average airman' in the execution of his present arduous duties. I have received the mother's permission, and I hope this letter may be read by the greatest possible number of our countrymen at home and abroad."

DEAREST MOTHER: Though I feel no premonition at all, events are moving rapidly, and I have instructed that this letter be forwarded to you should I fail to return from one of the raids which we shall shortly be called upon to undertake. You must hope on for a month, but at the end of that time you must accept the fact that I have handed my task over to the extremely capable hands of my comrades of the Royal Air Force, as so many splendid fellows have already done.

First, it will comfort you to know that my role in this war has been of the greatest importance. Our patrols far out over the North Sea have helped to keep the trade routes clear for our convoys and supply ships, and on one occasion our information was instrumental in saving the lives of the men in a crippled lighthouse relief ship. Though it will be difficult for you, you will accept the facts dispassionately, for I shall have done my duty to the utmost of my ability. No man can do more, and no one calling himself a man could do less.

I have always admired your amazing courage in the face of continual setbacks; in the way you have given me as good an education and background as anyone in the country; and always kept up appearances without ever losing faith in the future. My death would not mean that your struggle has been in vain. Far from it. It means that your sacrifice is as great as mine. Those who serve England must expect nothing from her; we desist ourselves if we regard our country as merely a place in which to eat and sleep.

HISTORY RESOUNDS with illustrious names who have given all, yet their sacrifice has resulted in the British Empire, where there is a measure of peace, justice and freedom for all, and where a higher standard of civilization has evolved, and is still evolving, than anywhere else. But this is not only concerning our own land. Today we are faced with the greatest organized challenge to Christianity and civilization that the world has ever seen, and I count myself lucky and honored to be the right age and fully trained to throw my full weight into the scale. For this I have to thank you. Yet there is more work for you to do. The home front will still have to stand united for years after the war is won. For all that can be said against it, I still maintain that this war is a very good thing; every individual having the chance to give and dare all for his principle like the martyrs of old. How ever long time may be, one thing can never be altered—I shall have lived and died an Englishman. Nothing else matters one jot, nor can anything ever change it.

You must not grieve for me, for if you really believe in religion and all that it entails that would be hypocrisy. I have no fear of death! only a queer elation. . . . I would have it no other way. The universe is so vast and so ageless that the life of one man can only be justified by the measure of his sacrifice. We are sent to this world to acquire a personality and a character to take with us that can never be taken from us. Those who just eat and sleep, prosper and procreate, are no better than animals, if all their lives they are at peace.

I FIRMLY and absolutely believe that evil things are sent into the world to try us; they are sent deliberately by our Creator to test our mettle because He knows what is good for us. The Bible is full of cases where the easy way out has been discarded for moral principles.

I count myself fortunate in that I have seen the whole country and know men of every calling. But with the final test of war I consider my character fully developed. Thus at my early age my earthly mission is already fulfilled, and I am prepared to die with just one regret, and one only—that I could not devote myself to making your declining years more happy by being with you; but I shall live in peace and freedom and I shall have directly contributed to that, so here again my life will not have been in vain.

Your loving son,

GEMS OF THOUGHT—LEND A HAND!

"Give what you have. To some one it may be better than you dare to think."—Longfellow.

"They who scatter with one hand, gather with two, not always in coin, but in kind. Nothing multiplies so much as kindness."—John Wray.

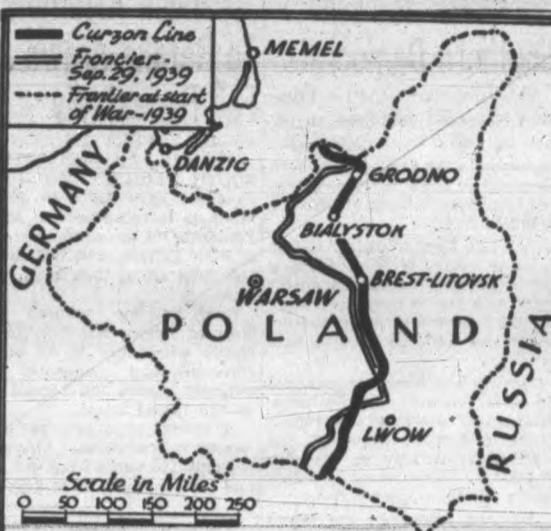
"Goodness and benevolence never tire. They maintain themselves and others and never stop from exhaustion."—Mary Baker Eddy.

"Everywhere you endeavor to be useful, everywhere you will be at home."—Goethe. Lend a hand! Do not think that because yours is small,

Or because from its fingers no riches may fall;

It was meant you should render no succor at all.—J. Walcott.

Too many cooks don't spoil the broth any more. They don't stay long enough.



THIS WAR—FOUR YEARS AGO

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Amateur Gardener

By E. L. F.

THIS IS THE SEASON of the seed catalogue, when amateur gardeners sit before the fire and with more enthusiasm than common sense, make out long seed lists that include all the beautiful vegetables they see in the colored pages.

Make out these lists if you wish—there's a lot of fun in doing it—but please don't mail them until you have considered from every angle, the best way to get full value out of the garden. If your space is small, then it is wise to concentrate on vegetables that give the greatest food value. On a bigger piece of ground there is room for a wider variety of vegetables and with a really large garden one can include not only the everyday vegetables but many of the so-called luxury crops.

ROOT VEGETABLES HIGH IN FOOD VALUES

For bulk crops with the highest food value, root vegetables are the best. Potatoes, carrots, parsnips, onions and beets should find a place in both large and small gardens. The cabbage family, too, is high in food value and with careful selection and planting a succession of different varieties of these healthy greens can be grown all year round. For instance, Brussels sprouts, savoys, heading and sprouting broccoli and kale will follow early potatoes, peas or broad beans. Spring cabbage goes in after the second crop of potatoes and summer cabbage and cauliflower where your winter leeks have come out.

Salad greens should also be included in every garden. Radishes, lettuce and small onions can all be grown between rows of larger vegetables. Turnips, parsnips, while cress, endive and chicory have a place in the bigger garden plan.

There is not much room for runner beans and tall peas in a small garden unless there are walls and fences where they can be grown easily. On the other hand, dwarf peas and beans are very important for they are rich in proteins.

NEED ROOM

Whether you include celery, marrows, squash, artichokes, turnips, or even tomatoes in your plans depends on the size of your garden space. All these crops occupy a good deal of room, and though they are valuable in their own way, they should not be included if it means crowding out the more every day vegetables which give you food the year through.

Have a good crop of leeks this season? They may now be showing the effects of weather and need a little attention to keep them in good shape. Spend an hour some day soon, clipping off bad leaf ends and straightening up listing plants so bits of wet earth can not get into the growing points. Then work up the soil between the rows with a hoe. If you see a spear-shaped growth in the centre of the leek, nip it off at once. This is a young flower stem and if you let it grow the plant will soon get too tough to eat.

Did you cut out the heart of your curly kale when you first started using it? Then you should be getting a good crop of side shoots by now that will prolong the season of this vegetable several more weeks. Help these new shoots along by fork the earth a foot deep around the plants and working in a dressing of powdered lime (two ounces to a square yard). It will sweeten the soil and liberate a lot of good plant food that is still in the ground.

Wm. Keast Dies

NANAIMO—resident of the Chase River district for the last 51 years, William J. Keast, 82, a retired miner, died at his family residence.

Surviving are his wife, Sarah E.; five sons, John of Chase River, William of Vancouver, Thomas of California, Joseph of Victoria, and Richard of Chemainus; five daughters, Mrs. T. Shaw, Mrs. S. Roy, Mrs. J. Ralston and Mrs. J. Carruthers of Chase River district, and Mrs. J. Davis of Ladysmith; fifteen grandchildren and two great-grandchildren in this province.

Rev. G. Knott will officiate at the funeral service Monday at 2.30 in the Jenkins Chapel.

Mrs. Ann Weeks Dies

NANAIMO—Born in England but resident of Nanaimo for 61 years, Mrs. Ann Weeks, widow of John Weeks, died Thursday. Her survivors include her four sons, Thomas H. of Vancouver, Edward of Nanaimo, Garfield of Duncan, and Harry of Chase.

NEW YORK (AP)—A total of 804 members of the New York city police department were retired Thursday by the police pension fund board. Police Commissioner Lewis J. Valentine said he had attempted unsuccessfully to persuade the officers to remain at their posts because of a manpower shortage.

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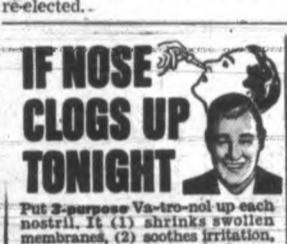


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ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

Cofax Rebekahs Install Officers At Annual Meeting

A large attendance of members in the I.O.O.F. Hall witnessed the installation of the officers of Cofax Rebekah Lodge by Mrs. H. Graham, district deputy president, assisted by Mrs. M. Fleming as marshal, and deputy officers Mrs. M. Taylor, warden; Mrs. M. Combe, recording secretary; Mrs. E. McCabe, financial secretary; Mrs. M. Dinsmore, treasurer; Mrs. M. Silver, musician; Mrs. M. Penman, chaplain; Mrs. J. Taylor, outside guard; Miss B. Johnson, inside guard.

Executive officers installed were: Noble grand, Mrs. L. Molynex, escort, A. McCabe, P.G.M. grand representative; vice-grand, Mrs. E. Cave, escort, F. B. Shaver, P.G.P., P.G.R.; recording secretary, Mrs. G. S. Sommerville, escort, J. Wilby, P.G.; financial secretary, Mrs. E. Baron, P.N.G.; escort, W. Dinsmore; treasurer, Miss D. Stocken, P.N.G. escort, S. Pomeroy, P.G. Appointed officers installed were: Mrs. E. Roberts, warden; Mrs. E. Blackburn, P.N.G., conductor; Mrs. D. Johnson, chaplain; S. Pomeroy, musician; Mrs. S. Bainbridge, P.N.G., R.S.N.G.; Mrs. D. Lineham, L.S.N.G.; Mrs. M. Fleming, P.N.G., R.S.V.G.; Mrs. E. Brownrigg, L.S.V.G.; Mrs. M. McAuley, outside guard; Mrs. E. Restell, inside guard.

Officers' reports showed members of 161, cash surplus over \$200; donations had been made to Provincial Orphanage, Solarium, sick visiting committees and United War Effort.

Following installation, the retiring Noble Grand, Mrs. Alice Passmore, presented gifts to Mrs. M. Penman, retiring secretary, and to Mrs. M. Dinsmore, retiring staff captain. Mrs. H. Graham, president of the Cofax Lodge, presented Mrs. Passmore with her past noble grand jewel, and Mrs. Molynex presented the gift from officers and staff of last term.

Next meeting will be Jan. 25.

entertainment in charge of the district debut, when observance of the birthday anniversary of Thomas Wildey, founder of the I.O.O.F., will be held.

Mrs. C. Bossoms with her little son Peter, Vancouver, are visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. A. Merrick, at the home of Mrs. Merrick.

Mrs. E. C. Stewart and Mrs. M. Armstrong were joint hosts with a miscellaneous shower at the home of the latter, 3016 Jutland Road, to honor Mrs. A. V. Connally, the former Maud Beattie. Those present were Messdames T. Beattie, E. C. Stewart, M. Armstrong, W. J. Coxford, Bryce Patterson, G. Ashman, M. Butt, J. L. Jeffreys, W. Dempster, C. Fallas, J. Flood, A. Johnson, E. J. Brown, R. Backus, L. Harney, N. Wilson, C. R. Keays, C. H. Roberts, F. Appleby, M. Beattie, and Misses H. Kennedy, A. Stevenson, K. Patterson, E. B. Armstrong, Pat Beattie, Carol Beattie, Patricia Gail Flood, E. B. Grier, and Master Neil Armstrong.

At the annual meeting of the W.A. to the Air Services Thursday afternoon at the Y.W.C.A., Mrs. W. E. Poupart was elected president, supported by the following executive: First vice-president, Mrs. L. W. Campbell; second vice-president, Mrs. E. L. MacLeod; secretary, Mrs. P. A. Vatcher; treasurer, Mrs. A. R. Minns; press, Mrs. Cyril Jones.

During the year, the auxiliary

has completed 268 knitted articles and 119 sewn garments for the Red Cross. Magazines sent to stations and to Kildonan House amounted to 2,017.

Isolated R.C.A.F. stations and R.C.A.F. personnel overseas have received continuous comforts from the auxiliary. It was reported that visits to the military hospitals and Jubilee Hospital have been made once a week by Mrs. G. A. Bennett and Miss M. Mackenzie-Grieve, when flowers, candy and magazines were distributed to air force patients. On Christmas Day special visits were made with presents from the organization.

Girl Guide Notes

West District—The following officers were elected at the annual meeting held Thursday evening:

President, Mrs. G. Phillips;

secretary-treasurer, Mrs. D. MacKenzie; badge convener, Mrs. Portritt; committee, Mrs. T. M. Knox and Miss Pike. Reports by guides showed various kinds of war work being done; a Victory garden by James Bay Company, and many proficiency badges earned during the year.

Install New Officers

New officers installed at a

meeting of Centennial W.M.S.

were: President, Mrs. M. E. Hubbard; vice-president, Mrs. Cox;

secretary, Mrs. W. W. Bennett;

treasurer, Mrs. H. B. Harris;

Christian stewardship and finance, Mrs. G. G. Henderson;

missionary monthly, Mrs. Mac-

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kins; supply, Mrs. Harbidge; as-

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community friendship, Mrs. Cox;

mittee box, Mrs. Harris; press, Mrs. J. D. Wilson.

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Despite Increase, Demands for Nurses Still Cannot Be Met

An increase of 1,800 student nurses is shown in enrolments at schools of nursing across Canada since the outbreak of war, yet many demands for nurses still cannot be met, Miss Marion Lindeburgh, president of the Canadian Nurses' Association, has stated.

National registration of nurses, held in March, 1943, revealed that while 20 per cent more nurses are now employed in hospitals throughout Canada than in 1939, the demands for nursing service in civilian hospitals have exceeded this increase.

"To meet growing demands for nursing service has been one of the challenges offered to the Canadian Nurses Association since the outbreak of war," declared Miss Lindeburgh.

This year the Canadian Nurses Association has made loans totaling \$4,800 to assist nurses in preparing themselves as teachers, supervisors, administrators and public health nurses and for other special fields.

Miss Lindeburgh expressed the opinion that both the stabilization of nursing service and recruitment of nurses are affected by salaries, hours of duty and living conditions. She spoke with satisfaction of the trends towards more satisfactory adjustments that are being effected.

Nurses are actively studying health insurance with the intention of preparing themselves to meet the demands of nursing that will inevitably play an important part in any health insurance plan.

WITH THE FORCES

Approximately 2,000 nurses are serving the Armed Forces, and many have signified their willingness to answer further calls.

C.N.A. has appointed a committee to study postwar reconstruction and the part nurses must play in this.

A limited number of nurses, the wives of men in the Armed Forces, and those whose families reside in Britain, are being permitted to enroll with the British Civil Nursing Reserve. Approximately 36 nurses have been accepted to date for this service.

At the outbreak of war the C.N.A. established a fund to assist nurses in Great Britain and elsewhere in the British Empire who suffer material losses through enemy action.

A hopeful sign of renewing contacts with other countries through the International Council of Nurses is seen in the reappointment of Miss Anna Schwarzenberg as executive secretary of the international organization, the headquarters of which are now New Haven, Conn.

Sooke W.I. Dance

At a meeting of Sooke and North Sooke W.I., Mrs. K. Cains presiding, the committee appointed for the February dance included Messdames A. Wilson, M. Gale, G. Duncan, G. Pimlott, W. Orchard and C. Crawford. Conveners for 1944 are: Public health and child welfare; Mrs. Wilson; education and better schools, Mrs. Gale; for North Sooke, Mrs. O. Frederickson; agriculture, Mrs. J. Forrest; sick visiting, Mrs. Cains.

The institute will finance the cost of improving conditions in the girls' washroom at Sooke School

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GRAPES	Red Emperor, lb.		23¢
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SAVOY CABBAGE	Each		5¢
APPLES	McIntosh Reds, Extra Fancy	3 lbs.	27¢
GRAPEFRUIT	Texas, size 112s	5 for	25¢
ORANGES	California Navel, size 176s, dozen		43¢

Today's Crossword Puzzle

HORIZONTAL

- 1. Pictured actor
- 12. Expression of surprise
- 13. Card game
- 24. Dined
- 25. Fish
- 26. Min.
- 27. Girl's name
- 28. Prevention
- 29. Italian state
- 30. Affirmative
- 31. Him
- 32. March
- 33. Toward
- 34. Judges' circuit
- 35. Whether
- 36. Good (Fr.)
- 37. Vindictive; ingredi-
- 38. Any
- 39. His manner
- 40. Mineral rock
- 41. Grows old
- 42. His acts on the
- 43. Transgression
- 44. Is this
- 45. Each (abbr.)
- 46. Biblical pronoun
- 47. Corp.
- 48. Perform
- 49. Laymen
- 50. Born
- 51. Gratitude
- 52. Surface
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WASHINGTON (AP) — Air Marshal Sir Richard Hallam Peck of the R.A.F. reported Thursday that 20 of Germany's biggest industrial cities have been crippled for a long period by the Allied air offensive and that about 50 more centres are "well on their way" to destruction.

At the same time Lt.-Gen. Carl A. Spaatz, commander of the U.S. strategic bombing force, Western Front, said the British-Canadian-U.S. aerial assault "knocked out an estimated 40 per cent of Germany's planned fighter production in the latter part of 1943." The disclosure indicated the Anglo-American air command is making substantial progress toward its current goal of wrecking the German air force.

Spaatz and Peck made their report on the progress of the air war in a trans-Atlantic press conference in which they were interviewed "somewhere in Great Britain" by three Washington reporters at the National Press Club here. The exchange was broadcast over the Blue Network and the BBC.

Peck described as something which "will forever remain a matter of opinion" the question of whether air power alone would knock Germany out of the war without the opening of a second front.

"We must remember," he said, "that the strategy of the United Nations has been a combined, all-sided strategy and that we did not set out to win by air warfare alone." He added that "even if a second front were not opened, the air would not have won alone because of the great Russian offensive and the joint air and naval victory over the U-boats in 1943."

Spaatz did not amplify his report on the destruction of German fighter plane production facilities, but Peck, said "there are no strategic targets in Germany that we cannot and will not reach."

**U.S. Fliers Strafe
Jap Posts in China**

CHUNGKING (AP) — U.S. medium- and fighter bombers ranged over much of Japanese-occupied China Monday. It was announced today, attacking enemy rail and river communications and shooting down one Japanese plane and one probable and damaging three others.

The communiqué added that Tuesday all three of a force of Japanese bombers that attempted to bomb a forward base were shot down with no American losses.

Two U.S. planes failed to return from Monday's operations, which also saw the destruction of three Japanese river tankers, two launches and other river craft in the Yangtze.

The communiqué also said U.S. planes had bombed Takao on the western shore of Formosa, Japan's big island colony 90 miles off the coast of China. This raid had been announced previously.

Other raids against Bangkok in Thailand and Japanese shipping in the Yangtze river in China were disclosed.

Today Mitchell bombers struck at four ships, of about 800 or 900 tons, near Fort Bayard, in Japanese-occupied French territory on the Kwangchow peninsula. One of the vessels blew up and the other three were damaged. The fort's warehouses, cavalry barracks and radio station also were attacked.

**E. Savannah Tells
Lions of Plastics**

Possibilities of the production of raw plastic material, in conjunction with pulp mills, already flourishing in British Columbia, were described by Edward Savannah, professor of Chemistry at Victoria College, in a luncheon address to the Lions Club in David Spencer's dining room, Thursday.

"Some types of plastics can be more economically produced in the east, but we can do a great deal with the pulpwood here," Mr. Savannah said as he spoke of the manufacture of plastic impregnated plywood, which would be stronger than steel plates of the same weight, in addition to being impervious to water and chemical or bacterial action.

He felt that if B.C. had a steel mill, it could be operated with great economy in conjunction with a plastic industry here. Raw cellulose, produced at very little added expense by existing pulp mills, could be turned into a number of articles on the Pacific coast, he said.

Plastics, according to Mr. Savannah, are now being used as a waterproof paint base both in Vancouver and Victoria. J. E. Fuller, president, introduced the speaker.

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Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

HOCKEY cycle is complete. Navy team has joined the Army and R.C.A.F. clubs on the sidelines as far as Allan Cup competition is concerned. Although no announcement has been made from Ottawa regarding the other navy club in Canada it is a foregone conclusion the same policy will be adopted as that governing the club playing in our Coast League. After army and air force teams had been instructed to drop from cup competition it was hardly possible the navy representatives would participate in the national playoffs. However, unlike the army and air force, the navy team in the coast circuit will complete its regular schedule.

Since the withdrawal of army and air force teams from hockey leagues throughout the country there has been a great deal of discussion among the fans in an attempt to discover the reason. They have wondered just who is to blame for the blow-up.

Charlie Edwards, well-known Canadian Press sports columnist, gives a pretty good round-up of

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Schooobys Will Be Recruited For Pro Ball League

NEW YORK (AP) — Baseball's lower class minors, planning a limited expansion in 1944, may have the answer to player shortage in the use of schoolboys and part time defence workers.

A class E league, the Twin Ports, operating around Duluth, Minn., and Superior, Wis., plans to go to the barrier on a twice-a-week schedule, a \$250 monthly salary roof and talent recruited from local defence plants and school rooms.

Joe Donnelly, former president of the Ohio State League, already has reorganized his circuit to enter the class D field along with the Pony and Appalachian, only 1943 finishers.

According to Donnelly there is no reason why several new D or E leagues should not start this year. The Ohio president says, "They can open their seasons after school lets out and employ youngsters who will not be called in the draft, closing their schedules about a week before school starts in the fall. Those kids will hustle their heads off."

TWO GAMES A WEEK. — Last year the Twin Ports League, the first E loop in history, failed to gain desired concessions and couldn't make a go of it. By silencing the salary limit and cutting play to two games a week, F. H. Wade, who served as president in 1943, thinks that the circuit will be able to operate successfully.

The boys and men who played last year have jobs and can't play more than twice a week," said Wade. "They are well paid and do not require or expect much money. Salary means nothing to most of them. They want to play for the love of the game and for the recreation."

Minor Hockey

Games scheduled over the week end in the Victoria Minor Hockey Association follow:

SATURDAY

7:15 a.m.—Midgets: Royals vs. Senators.

8 a.m.—Bantams: Royals vs. Senators.

8:45 a.m.—Bantams: Maroons vs. Capitals.

SUNDAY

6 p.m.—Midgets: Maroons vs. Capitals.

6:45 p.m.—Juveniles: Royals vs. Capitals.

MONDAY

10:15 p.m.—Juveniles: Maroons vs. Senators.

League Leaders

Although 11 goals were scored in two National Hockey League games last night only change in the high-scoring list was Doug Bentley, Chicago, who got three assists when Hawks defeated Rangers 5 to 2, to take sixth place from Toronto's Gus Bodnar.

Buddy O'Connor, Canadiens, failed to collect any points in the Montreal-Detroit 2 to 2 draw and was forced out of the big seven. He was formerly in a seventh-place tie with Bentley.

Leaders follow:

Coules, Boston .19 33 A. P.

Cal, Chicago .29 47

Cal, Boston .28 44

Lach, Canadiens .12 31 A.

Montreal, Chicago .20 42

D. Bentley, Chicago .18 22

Bodnar, Toronto .14 35

PLAY FAST

But Rayner was too good for the airmen and not one of their shots passed his stick. During

the rest of the period the teams showed Vancouverites the fastest hockey they had seen this season.

In the third period, airmen crashed their first goal of the game past Rayner at 8:05. Tony Lecari scoring on an assist from Ed Shamrock. Then at 15:20,

Jack Adams on a play from John

Quality fired the winning goal.

Finally with only 23 seconds to go, Navy pulled Rayner and used six forwards, but the move failed to produce the tieing goal.

SUMMARY

First period—No scoring. Penalty: Tomson.

Second period—1, Navy, McKay

(Strongman, Russell), 6:15. No penalties.

Third period—2, R.C.A.F.,

Lecari (Shamrock), 8:05; 3, R.C.

A.F., Adams (Quality), 15:20.

Penalty: McArthur.

INDUCT HAUGHEY

BROOKLYN, N.Y. (AP) —

Chris Haughey, who, as a 17-year

old Long Island High School student,

pitched a game for Brooklyn

Yankees late in the season,

received notice Thursday to re-

port for induction Jan. 11. Haughey, recently turned 18, is a right-

handed thrower.

No Definite Action

By Pro Grid League

CHICAGO (AP) — After deliberating for 20 hours while seek-

ers of franchises paged the outer

vestibule like expectant fathers,

the United States National Foot-

ball League concluded its annual

midwinter meeting Thursday by

taking this definitive action:

Franchise applications from

Buffalo, N.Y.; Los Angeles, Calif.,

and San Francisco were tabled

until the league's annual business

parley in April in Philadelphia.

The league decided to retain the

\$25,000 application deposit

put down by a group of five Bu-

ffalo businessmen, indicating that

the city still is being seriously

considered as an operating mem-

ber in 1944.

However, the \$25,000 peeled off

by both Los Angeles and San

Francisco interests was returned,

with the explanation that "the

league does not wish to tie up

this sum of money until after the

war." The applications, however,

still are eligible to be received at

the April meeting.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Presi-

dent Roosevelt turned back to the

United States treasury \$1,950 of

his \$75,000 salary in 1943 under

his order limiting salaries after

taxes to \$25,000 a year.

This is disclosed in the budget

bureau's table of receipts for the

fiscal year 1943, sent to Congress

Thursday.

Mr. Roosevelt is the only gov-

ernment employee whose salary

was large enough to be affected

by the order.

In Hockey Battle Tonight



VICTORIA DAILY TIMES: Friday, January 14, 1944

Hollott's Goal Gives Detroit Hockey Tie

New Defenceman Robs Canadiens Of Hockey Win

Reports from Detroit that manager Jack Adams negotiated the "deal of the century" in trading Pat Egan to Boston Bruins for William (Flash) Hollott can't be discounted entirely, however partisan the source.

Hollott

appeared in the Detroit lineup last night — long enough to score an unassisted goal which gave Red Wings a 2 to 2 deadlock against Montreal Canadiens for their first point in seven games on Montreal ice this season. The split in points left Canadiens undefeated in 15 games at home, 13 of which were victories.

At New York, Chicago Black Hawks stopped the tailend Rangers 5 to 2 before 13,492 fans to keep pace with Detroit, who hold a two-point margin over Hawks for fourth place in the National Hockey League standings.

Bill Mosienko and Doug Bentley, striving to reach the top in the individual scoring race, while Bill Cowley is recovering from a shoulder injury, combined for three of the first four goals as Chicago ended a six-game losing streak while extending New York's string of defeats to the same length. Bentley set up the plays and Mosienko supplied the finishing touch on all three goals.

At Montreal, Hollott's solo rush took him practically the length of the rink before he batted a waist-high drive past the Montreal nets.

Summaries follow:

CANADIANS—DETROIT

First period—1, Montreal, Lach (Blake, Richard), 2:55. Penalties: Gettle, Harmon.

Second period—2, Montreal, Richard (Lach, Blake), 2:03; 3, Detroit, Reay (unassisted), 8:02. Penalties: Jackson (2).

Third period—4, Detroit, Hollott (unassisted), 9:27. Penalties: Bouchard, Simon.

CHICAGO—RANGERS

First period—1, Chicago, Mosienko (Bentley), 12:56. No penalties.

Second period—2, Chicago, Gottsleig, 4:03; 3, Chicago, Mosienko (Bentley, Smith), 8:45; 4, Chicago, Mosienko (Bentley, Smith), 9:15; 5, New York, D'Amore (De Marco, Jamieson), 12:58. Penalty: D'Amore.

Third period—6, Chicago, Dahlstrom (Gottselig, Purpur), 6:05; 7, New York, Dill (Mahaffy, J. McDonald), 6:29. No penalties.

R.A.F. Meets V.M.D.

Two Army players who will be in the thick of tomorrow afternoon's Rounsevel Cup final against Varsity Thunderbirds at Macdonald Park, starting at 2:30. Peden will look after the full-back duties for the troops with Cockin playing at scrum half. Winner of the sudden-death game will become British Columbia club champions.

R.A.F. Meets V.M.D.

In Soccer Feature

Soccer fans are looking forward to one of the best games of the season tomorrow afternoon when R.A.F. and Victoria Machinery Depot clash at Athletic Park, starting at 2:30.

British airmen won the first half championship, suffering only one defeat and they are out to repeat their success in the second portion of the league.

Manager Jock McColl has had the V.M.D. boys out to stiff workouts twice a week and is hoping for a victory over the Pat Bay outfit.

Teams will be selected from the following players:

R.A.F.—Cooke, Witham, Bradock, Boulter, Hardwick, Lowe, Brumby, Winduss, Richman, Cox and Davidson; Reserves: Brodie, Durnby and Ross.

V.M.D.—Evans, Slogar, McGeachy, Leggett, Mills, Travis, Dougall, Barnsall, Robbins, Parks, Stewart, Perry, French, Reside, Payne and Morgan.

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L. W. Campbell Dies

QUEBEC (CP)—L. W. Campbell, 56, prominent Quebec businessman and sportsman died in New York from a heart attack. It was reported in a message received here. He was vice-president of the Montmorency Paper Company, an affiliate of the Anglo-Canadian Pulp and Paper Company.

J. F. Mitchell Dies

TORONTO (CP)—John Fothergill Mitchell, 66, prominent broker and vice-president of the Short-horn Breeders' Association, is dead here. He had been in ill health for several years. Born in Milton, Ont., for some years he was engaged in mining in Alberta and the real estate business in British Columbia. He came to Toronto 15 years ago.

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Lions Draw Opens Navy-V.M.D. Game

Victoria Lions' Club, \$7,000 gift home will be drawn for by His Honor Lieutenant-Governor W. C. Woodward, at the opening of the hockey game in Willows Arenas, Monday night at 8:30, between Navy and V.M.D.

The drawing was originally scheduled to take place between periods, but as hockey rules do not allow sufficient time, the drawing had to be changed to the opening of the game.

Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Woodward, aides and party will be escorted to the ice surface at the press box, by Jack Fuller, president of the Lions' Club. The latter will be introduced by Lee Halberg, master of ceremonies, and will announce Mr. and Mrs. Woodward. The Lieutenant-Governor will then draw for the home. Ten other awards of Victory Bonds will also be drawn with Mrs. Woodward drawing the first \$100 bond.

Following the drawing, players of both hockey teams will be presented to His Honor, who will be accompanied by Captain Massey Gooden, naval officer in charge at Esquimalt, B.C., and Mrs. Gooden, Lieutenant Commander Hew Paterson and H. S.

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Registry Suggests Communal Feeding

Establishment of communal feeding centres which would enable families to make use of rooms without housekeeping facilities, alleviate pressure on transportation and on over-crowded city restaurants is under consideration, Mrs. W. E. Rayfuse, manager of the Victoria Housing Registry, says in her annual report to Ottawa on local housing problems.

In view of the seriousness of the housing shortage, the registry is making every effort to solve the ever-present problems of fuel and food in order to bolster the morale of servicemen and war workers, which is becoming affected by distressing conditions, she said.

One of the many problems of the shortage is the lack of cheap rooms for Old Age Pensioners. One large house which was rented at a nominal sum has been turned over to the Local Council of Women, who have established a house where rooms can be secured cheaply. This is working very well, Mrs. Rayfuse says, only the demand is much greater than the supply.

Mentioning a report on compulsory registration conducted by L. S. Davis of the Real Property Administrator's office, Mrs. Rayfuse emphasized the fact that 41 per cent of applications for accommodation were newcomers to the city. Shipyard workers comprise about half of those applying, and the registry works in close co-operation with the housing department of their personnel division.

Every summer cottage, auto camp and shack within 15 miles of the city has been pressed into service, *as reported*, and listed the many social problems which arise from congestion—schooling facilities, transportation, and health problems. The discouragement felt when families have to live apart is not conducive to high morale, and the statement concludes this resentment is making itself felt more and more.

The four suggestions offered to alleviate the situation are to prevent unessential, nonpermanent people from coming here, persuade those in this category to leave, provide more accommodation (possibly by pre-fabricated housing), and set up a system of community feeding centres which would enable bedrooms and single rooms now vacant to be used.

Y.M.C.A. Announces Youth Radio Program

Young Men's Christian Association in Victoria announced today that a program of "interest to all groups concerned with juvenile problems" will be commenced Saturday afternoon from 1 to 1:30 over the National Broadcasting Company, and will be sponsored by 10 organizations, including the National Council of Y.M.C.A.'s of the United States.

The series of 13 programs will be entitled "Here's to Youth," and each will be in dramatic form, with Helen Hayes featured on Saturday's program. "Young Americans in Crisis" will be the title of the first program and will form an introduction to the series.

Gas, Ration Book Taken

Theft of gasoline from her private car and two trucks during the last three days was reported to city police Thursday by Mrs. H. Mustel, 1549 Pembroke. Ed Ash, 2532 Fifth Street, reported his gasoline ration book stolen from the glove compartment of his car, parked near the V.M.D. The winter wood supply of Mrs. N. Griffith, 133 George Street, was depleted by thieves. She told police.

Theft of his overcoat and \$21, along with other articles, while he was dining in a cafe with his wife was reported by H. Gaunt, Shawnigan Lake.

Police have been asked to investigate two boys who gave false names and addresses to obtain Navy League of Canada membership books.

Meanwhile police are seeking the owner of a baby buggy which was found abandoned at Fort and Broad Thursday night.

A room at 1319 Vancouver, occupied by Mrs. Edith Halvorsen, was entered and some clothes taken.

Walter Yearmans, 1612 Quadra, reported his room entered and a purse containing \$25 and three food ration books taken.

Car Hits Standard In Freak Accident

A taxi driven by Doreen Clear, 1328 Cloverdale, pulling from the curb at Government and Courtney, caught the bumper of a car owned by Edward Cridge, 1550 Hampshire Road, at 10 Thursday night. The Cridge car rolled across the street and crashed into a light standard, breaking it off.

An army car, reported by the provost corps to have been driven by Maj. Nichol, R.C.A., Tillicum Road camp, crashed into a telephone pole at Tyee and Johnson at 12:45 this morning.

The loading and hauling operation is expected to start early in February.

The B.C. government, Comox Logging and Railway Company are co-operating in the experiment, which is being watched with interest by logging and pulpwood companies all over North America.

Police Commission Members Approved

Formal approval of the appointment of Ald. B. J. Gadsden and Ald. Margaret D. Christie as police commissioners for Victoria was granted the city today by order-in-council.

The two new members of the board may now sit at commission sessions, but, with Mayor McGeivin, third member and chairman, leaving the city today for Chicago, no meeting is expected in the next two weeks unless an emergency arises.

Cities Have Lost Interest In B.C. Electric Says Hart

Premier John Hart said today he has come to the opinion the cities and municipalities are no longer interested in the proposal that they acquire the assets and services of the B.C. Electric Rail-

way Co.

"While it might be a very opportune time for Victoria and Vancouver to acquire the rights and charter of this company, the government is not suggesting that they do so; but, as I said before, if that is their desire and they approach the government, every assistance will be given in connection with the financing of such a scheme."

Premier Hart commented: "It is my understanding, therefore, that the cities and municipalities do not wish to proceed further with the proposal."

The question is expected to be widely debated at the session of the Legislature, opening Feb. 1.

TOWN TOPICS

Fire in a gas stove at the home of Mrs. V. C. McLachlan, 1419 Stanley, at 5:56 Thursday afternoon, was attended by city firemen. Damage was slight.

Walter Welsford, executive director of the Associated Hospitals Association of British Columbia, announced today the appointment of Ainslie J. Helmcken as resident representative of the association at Victoria.

In appreciation of his services as chairman for the three years ending last December, members of the city school board Wednesday evening presented a combination cigarette case and lighter to F. G. Mulliner at a function in the home of Municipal Inspector and Mrs. H. L. Campbell. The presentation was made by Trustee Margaret D. Christie. Trustee Mulliner replied fittingly.

Taking into consideration difficulties in securing supplies, the present city street lighting system is the best available, W. B. McMicking, city lighting superintendent, informed the city lights committee Thursday. He outlined improvements made recently, noted war condition had interrupted street lights made four years ago for further extensions and said 200 lights had been installed in residential areas in the last five years.

Al. T. W. Hawkins, lands zoning and town planning committee chairman; F. L. Shaw, city solicitor, and D. K. Kennedy, building inspector, were appointed a special committee by the city town planning group Thursday to collect suggestions from citizens and others along postwar construction lines. During the meeting the committee heard an outline of improvements envisaged by Mr. Kennedy. Seven sales were listed for approval by the City Council at its next meeting.

**Hospital Appeal
To Go to Estimates**

The Jubilee Hospital appeal to the city for \$50,000 towards cost of a new maternity pavilion was given sympathetic hearing Thursday afternoon by the city finance committee. Delegates from the hospital were informed the issue would be taken up by the City Council in estimates committee. Presenting the brief for the hospital were E. W. McMullen, chairman of the board of directors; Judge H. H. Shandley and C. Morrison, secretary.

The committee also met representatives of the school board who sought an enunciation of policy respecting payment of a full cost-of-living bonus to employees. The board group, including Trustee Austin Curtis, chairman; Trustees Isla Tuck and F. G. Mulliner and T. L. Christie, secretary, explained the board was anxious to have information on the matter prior to drafting the school budget which must be completed by Feb. 15.

Al. W. L. Morgan, city finance committee chairman, said the council could make no policy statement at present. The annual financial statement, he added, had not yet been submitted.

**Ex-Shanghai Policeman
Joins B.C. Force**

After serving for many years with the international police force in Shanghai, John Medley has been taken on Provincial Police strength and is now stationed at Courtenay. His brother Charles, was accepted for service in the army. Mr. and Mrs. Randall have 10 children, seven sons and three daughters, including Mrs. Thomas Hughes and Mrs. George Sage of Victoria. Enlistments in the Canadian active army at Bay Street Armories during the week ending Jan. 13, included Joseph B. Costello, 155 Croft Street; Richard J. Burt, 3524 Cook Street; Richard T. Allan, 818 Russell Street; William Gordon, 2666 Townley Street; Joseph Pangrass, 1312 Government Street, all of Victoria; Alfred W. Joyce, Campbell River; Sidney A. Harknett, Cobble Hill; Herbert L. Barnett, West Summerland; Charles W. A. Egg, Fanny Bay; Robert A. Ferguson, Alberni; Norman H. Mitchell and Robert H. Sloan, Nanaimo. Cornelius G. Friesen transferred from H.D. to the 22nd Heavy Battery (A.A.), R.C.A.

R.C.A.F. recruits include: Robert William Patrick, 2682 Topp Avenue; Frank Hooper Weeks, 140 Menzies Street; William Dunn Hamilton, 1015 Battery, 27th A.A., R.C.A.; William Chernesky, Willow Camp; Roland Dosbie, A Co., K.O.R.C.; Robert McCormack Filberg, C.M.C.; Roger Gaird Holliston, 1621 Amphion Street; James Leslie Peie, Gerald (Gerry) Wakelin,

The Medley brothers were interned for many months, John in Shanghai, and Charles in Hong Kong. Much to their surprise they met some months ago aboard the Japanese repatriation liner *Tei-e Maru*. John went aboard at Shanghai and Charles at Hong Kong. Neither thought the other would be a passenger.

The Medley family formerly lived in Victoria. The brothers' mother and sister, who were visiting in China, were evacuated more than two years ago to Australia and are still in Sydney.

**War Veterans Ask
Increase in Beer**

A large delegation from the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada today asked Premier John Hart and the cabinet to petition Ottawa so that servicemen may receive enough beer for themselves, as well as for uniformed men here from eastern Canada.

The cabinet was told that because of present rations there is not enough to go round. The veterans feel their own members, as well as their guests, men of the present war, should have adequate beer.

Brig. J. Sutherland Brown headed the delegation, which was composed of J. C. Rivers, Victoria; W. A. Anderson, H. E. Warburton, T. W. Goode, G. H. Gray, Percy Lewis, Harold Price, Neil McLeod and Percy Sanford, all of Vancouver.

There Was No Prowler

A Belton Avenue housewife, believing she had cornered a prowler Thursday night, turned in a rush call to city police.

Police constables, carefully preparing to capture the "prowler," discovered to the embarrassment of the housewife, her brother and his girl friend. They had returned home unexpectedly.

**Alberta Man Dies
In Blazing Auto**

EDMONTON (CP)—Raymond C. Jeune of Entwistle, Alta., who was pulled unconscious from his burning automobile in downtown Edmonton Thursday night, died in a hospital after police and doctors had tried to revive him for two and a half hours with artificial respiration and a respirator.

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Damage in 1941 was \$45,592; in 1942 it dropped to \$39,048.

Accidents involving motor vehicles dropped from 577 in 1941 to 450 in 1942, a decrease of 22 per cent. Number of deaths involved dropped from 986 to 758. Number of injured fell from 215 to 192.

Victoria city chalked up a 66 per cent decrease in the number of persons killed in traffic mishaps. In 1941 there were six deaths; in 1942 there were only two.

Esquimalt had no traffic deaths in either 1941 or 1942. Number of accidents there dropped from 40 to 33. Damage from accidents in 1941 amounted to \$5,116 and in 1942 to \$4,649.

In Saanich in 1942 there were two traffic deaths, a 60 per cent decrease over 1941 when there were five. Property damage from accidents there totaled \$14,362, a decrease of 16 per cent.

In Oak Bay there was one traffic death in 1942; property damage amounted to \$2,995, compared with \$3,451 the year before. There were 38 accidents in Oak Bay in 1941, compared with 24 in 1942, a year later.

There is every indication 1943 will have even lower figures. To the end of November there had been 107 traffic deaths, compared with 112 at the same time in 1942.

**Judge Who Sentenced
Ciano Loses Life**

LONDON (AP)—The Berlin radio, quoting a Milan dispatch, said Dominico Miti, identified as a lieutenant-general in the Italian militia and one of the Verona judges who sentenced Count Galeazzo Ciano to death last Monday, was killed in an automobile accident.

COUNT Ciano, Benito Mussolini's son-in-law, was convicted of treason in Mussolini's ouster as premier, and was executed by a firing squad the following day.

Miti, the Berlin broadcast said, had commanded a division on the Russian front and served in west Africa, Spain and Greece.

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Gershwin Festival Program Complete

List of artists starring in the Gershwin Memorial Festival, to be presented on Hillier Attractions Modernage Series, Monday, at the Royal Victoria Theatre, is now complete.

The stars, Anne Brown, soprano, and Donald Dickson, baritone, will be supplemented by the brilliant pianist, Dorothy Eustis, who will play two groups. Juan Root will serve as narrator, while Leo Mueller will act as accompanist for the singers. The program follows:

1. (Donald Dickson) "Song of the Flame," "Song of the Flame"; "Somebody Loves Me," "George White Scandals" (1924); medley, "Of Thee I Sing."

2. (Dorothy Eustis) "Rhapsody in Blue," Gershwin.

3. (Anne Brown) "Summer-time," Porgy and Bess; "My Man's Gone Now," Porgy and Bess.

4. (Miss Eustis). Three preludes for piano: "Allegro ben ritmato e deciso," "Andante con moto a poco," "Allegro ben ritmato e deciso."

5. (Miss Brown) Sketches: "Let's Call the Whole Thing Off," "The Man I Love."

6. (Mr. Dickson) "Love Walked In," "Ciegleid Folies," "Hallelujah, My Baby's Gone," "Girl Crazy"; "I Got Plenty of Nuttin'" Porgy and Bess; "Woman Is a Sometime Thing," Porgy and Bess.

7. (Miss Brown and Mr. Dickson) "I Love You, Porgy," "Porgy and Bess"; "Bess, You Is My Woman Now," Porgy and Bess.

Spend Honeymoon Dodging Gestapo

Free MacMurray, whose specialty has been making love to glamour girls of the screen, takes, as a bride, in the person of Joan Fontaine, the first reel of their first role together. This is M-G-M's "Above Suspicion."

Helen MacInnes' dramatic story of counter-espionage, Nazi secret intrigue and "the underground" in central Europe prior to the outbreak of war. It comes today to the Dominion Theatre.

MacMurray and Miss Crawford play an Oxford professor and his bride, who devote their honeymoon to carrying out a dangerous mission on the continent. Their escapes from the Gestapo and other adventures cram the story with thrills.

ATLAS THEATRE

Based upon a screen play by Casey Robinson and Capt. Claude Blynn, Irving Berlin's "This Is the Army" is now playing at the Atlas Theatre. In it, Radio's great star, Kate Smith, sings the beloved hymn, "God Bless America," which she introduced to the nation over the air waves.

Frances Langford puts over the new Berlin number "What Does He Look Like?" while Gertrude Niesen sings some of the composer's World War I tunes.

CAPITOL THEATRE

Both favorites in their respective fields of romantic comedy and outdoor action, Jean Arthur and John Wayne are teamed for the first time in RKO Radio's sparkling new fun film, "A Lady Takes a Chance," currently at the Capitol Theatre.

Miss Arthur plays a Manhattan bank clerk on vacation out west, and Wayne a rodeo star with whom she has a hectic romance that forms the basis of the gay plot.

William A. Seiter directed the Frank Ross production.

CADET THEATRE

Police characters in "A Night to Remember," for the first time in many films, are not dole. If left to themselves they would solve the mystery in the Columbia comedy starring Loretta Young and Brian Aherne at the Cadet Theatre, according to Richard Wallace, director.

William A. Seiter directed the Frank Ross production.

OAK BAY THEATRE

The first port of call for the Royal Victoria is "One Night in Lisbon," the big laugh to be smuggled out of war-torn Europe.

For today Lisbon has become the most exciting, most romantic city in all the world. With its crowded refugees who range from kings to beggars all seeking this last port of escape, "One Night in Lisbon," which made its bow at the Oak Bay Theatre last night, has caught all of the European capital's magical spell and colorful background.

PLAZA THEATRE

Claude Rains has the title role in the new Technicolor terrorclassic, "Phantom of the Opera," which is currently showing at the Plaza Theatre. He is co-starred with Nelson Eddy and Susanna Foster.

Price: Boxes and Loges and portions thereof, \$1.50; rest of house, \$1.00.

Matinees: Boxes and Loges, \$1.50; balance or seats, \$1.00. Children, 50¢.

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News—KIRK—KIRK.
Kirkland—KIRK at 8:45.

6.00 News—CJVI, CJOR.
Wait Time—CBM, KOMO, KFO.
Music—CKWX.

6.30 People Are Funny—KOMO, KFO.
Double or Nothing—KOL.
Spotlight—Sandie—KJR.
Hornbeam Boy—KIRK, KNX, CJVI.
CKWX at 6:45.

7.00 News—CBR.
In the Spotlight—CKWX.
Sports—KFO—KFO.
Durante and Moore—KIRO.
Peggy—CKWX, CJVI.
Dale Carnegie—CJVI.
Stair Door Canners—KNX.

7.30 Spe to the Stars—KOMO, KFO.
Eventide—CBR.
Kirkland—KIRK.
Chris Gibson—KJR.

8.00 Soliloquy—CBR.

Fred Waring—KOMO, KFO.
Things We Like—CKWX.
The World—KJR.

I Love a Mystery—KIRO.

Quo Quo—KOMO at 8:15.

Canada's Carnival—KOL.

8.30 Gang Busters—KJR.

P.M. Playhouse—KIRO, KNX.

Treasure Hunt—CBR.

Big Game—Bit Parade—KOMO

KFO.

9.00 Famous Bands—KIRO.

Meet Your Navy—KJR.

News—CBR.

Kate Smith—KIRO.

Parade—KOMO, KFO.

News—KJR.

Generals' Showcase—KOL.

Music—Metropop—CBR.

Mother's Benefit Show—KOL.

Emerson Philips—Cris at 10:15.

News—CBR.

Sherman Clay—KJR.

News—CJVI, KOMO, KFO.

At Close of Day—CKWX.

Harry James—CBR.

Broadway Shows—KOL.

Music—KFO at 10:45.

10.00 News—CBR, KOMO, KFO.

Mother's Benefit Show—KOL.

Emerson Philips—Cris at 10:15.

News—CBR.

10.30 Famous Bands—KIRO.

Music—Metropop—CBR.

11.00 Roy Sheldone—KOMO.

Lee Taylor—KIRO.

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News—KJR.

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News—CKWX.

12.00 News—CJVI, KOMO.

Music—Metropop—CBR.

12.20 News—CJVI, KOMO.

Music—Metropop—CBR.

12.45 News—CJVI, KOMO.

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